## <u>The High Point Urban Area Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization</u> wants to hear from you about Transportation

The High Point Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (HPMPO) is responsible for transportation planning and managing federal transportation funding for the region. The HPMPO region covers almost 700 square miles and includes the municipalities of High Point, Archdale, Trinity, Jamestown, Wallburg, Thomasville, Lexington, and Denton. Also included are portions of Guilford, Davidson, Forsyth, and Randolph Counties.

The HPMPO is kicking off the 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) update. HPMPO staff are swinging into action preparing to update the plan for the 2040 timeframe.

An essential part of this plan is learning what people think of transportation today and how it should serve us in the future. The 2040 MTP will look at the challenges and issues over the 25 year horizon. Key factors used to develop this plan include regional goals, projected population, job growth, transportation demand and public input. The HPMPO needs to know how people view the current transportation system as well as learn about people's ideas for future improvements. Available for review at the meeting will be the current 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan, as well as, copies of the DRAFT highway project list for the 2040 MTP.

The HPMPO will host a public meeting which will be "open-house style" with staff on hand to discuss issues and answer any questions from the public. The public meeting will take place on Tuesday March 17, 2015 from 4:30 pm until 7:30 pm at the City of High Point Municipal Building at 211 S. Hamilton Street in High Point.

All information will be provided in an alternative form if requested.

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